

Table 41. No. 2 Diesel Fuel Prices by Sulfur Content, Sales Type, and PAD District
(Cents per Gallon Excluding Taxes)

Geographic Area Month	Low-Sulfur Diesel Fuel						High-Sulfur Diesel Fuel				
	Sales to End Users					Sales for Resale	Sales to End Users				Sales for Resale
	Commercial/ Institutional Consumers	Industrial Consumers	Through Retail Outlets ^a	Other End Users ^b	Average		Commercial/ Institutional Consumers	Industrial Consumers	Other End Users ^b	Average	
United States											
January	62.7	68.1	69.9	69.7	67.1	57.5	59.9	66.9	68.8	64.1	55.1
February	64.2	70.1	70.7	71.2	68.3	59.3	61.1	67.8	69.6	65.2	56.9
March	68.7	74.6	75.1	75.3	72.7	63.6	64.2	71.6	73.6	68.7	59.9
April	76.7	82.7	82.6	84.5	80.8	71.8	71.4	78.1	80.8	75.9	65.8
May	74.4	82.6	81.2	83.4	79.1	68.4	70.4	76.6	78.3	74.2	63.2
June	66.5	75.7	74.5	76.7	72.0	60.4	63.5	70.5	73.3	68.2	57.7
July	67.0	74.4	73.2	75.8	71.4	61.4	63.4	71.0	73.9	68.2	58.3
August	71.1	78.0	75.8	79.6	74.8	66.1	67.0	74.3	76.2	71.2	63.1
September	77.0	84.5	81.7	85.1	80.7	72.5	74.3	80.9	82.7	78.3	70.9
October	81.0	87.0	86.4	89.1	84.9	76.3	76.6	84.6	86.9	81.6	74.0
November	79.4	85.4	86.7	87.6	84.0	74.6	76.3	83.5	86.8	81.0	71.9
December	77.8	84.0	85.5	84.9	82.4	72.2	74.8	82.2	84.9	79.3	70.3
1996 Average	72.3	79.1	78.8	80.6	76.7	67.3	68.7	75.9	78.4	73.2	63.9
PAD District I											
January	63.2	67.2	70.5	66.6	66.7	57.9	64.4	67.8	69.3	67.5	57.0
February	65.2	72.3	71.4	68.9	68.6	61.6	65.3	69.0	70.4	68.5	59.0
March	69.5	76.5	76.1	72.1	72.9	65.4	68.1	73.1	74.5	71.9	62.8
April	75.2	80.8	82.1	77.4	78.6	70.3	72.5	77.0	80.7	76.6	65.8
May	69.3	75.5	78.5	72.2	73.7	64.1	69.2	72.2	75.7	72.0	59.9
June	62.4	71.0	72.7	66.2	67.6	56.5	62.8	67.1	69.7	66.4	54.2
July	64.6	72.5	72.2	67.5	68.6	59.7	63.6	68.9	71.1	67.2	57.5
August	68.2	76.4	73.7	71.5	71.4	63.9	67.4	72.4	74.3	70.8	61.6
September	74.3	82.9	79.4	76.3	77.3	70.6	72.9	79.2	80.9	76.6	68.3
October	79.5	85.2	85.3	80.6	82.4	75.6	77.7	82.8	86.0	81.4	74.1
November	78.6	85.0	85.9	79.8	82.1	74.1	77.2	82.3	85.3	81.2	71.6
December	79.0	85.5	86.0	80.2	82.5	74.1	78.4	84.1	83.7	81.5	72.3
1996 Average	70.9	77.6	77.9	73.2	74.4	66.3	70.2	74.5	76.8	73.5	63.7
Subdistrict IA											
January	68.4	82.8	79.0	71.1	72.3	60.0	73.4	NA	74.0	74.4	60.0
February	71.1	88.5	81.0	72.3	74.7	64.4	76.5	NA	76.1	76.8	64.7
March	76.9	91.6	86.6	80.3	80.9	68.3	81.7	NA	78.5	82.1	68.7
April	80.5	96.5	93.1	86.9	85.5	72.8	78.6	84.4	84.7	80.7	74.1
May	74.2	88.1	90.8	78.5	79.7	67.1	75.6	79.3	81.8	77.7	62.8
June	67.1	81.7	88.5	71.5	73.9	58.3	71.2	76.8	72.7	72.4	55.8
July	67.9	83.5	85.0	71.7	73.7	61.3	71.6	75.2	75.2	72.9	59.8
August	71.2	87.9	85.1	74.4	76.2	65.1	74.8	81.0	75.9	75.6	64.6
September	77.4	93.7	88.1	80.0	81.7	71.9	81.4	87.9	84.7	83.0	67.7
October	83.3	94.2	93.6	83.3	86.5	75.8	89.7	90.9	86.2	89.1	75.7
November	83.0	96.1	94.7	81.8	86.7	74.9	89.7	95.1	85.2	89.5	74.3
December	84.4	95.7	95.9	83.3	87.9	77.5	90.6	96.6	NA	92.0	W
1996 Average	75.6	90.0	88.5	77.6	80.0	68.2	79.5	83.1	80.2	80.3	68.7
Subdistrict IB											
January	64.9	75.2	74.0	68.4	68.8	59.5	66.5	70.8	80.5	69.3	58.4
February	66.8	80.1	74.7	70.9	70.6	63.4	67.9	72.3	80.9	70.6	59.1
March	72.0	84.0	79.5	74.6	75.6	67.9	72.7	78.2	83.4	75.6	65.5
April	78.0	85.8	86.5	80.7	81.7	73.0	76.1	81.1	87.0	79.4	69.1
May	71.5	82.0	83.5	75.0	76.5	65.7	70.7	76.4	83.4	74.3	61.7
June	63.8	75.3	77.0	67.6	69.3	57.3	64.1	70.1	77.6	68.2	54.6
July	65.8	77.2	73.9	68.7	69.6	60.1	64.7	71.3	76.5	68.0	57.8
August	69.1	81.0	75.1	73.6	72.4	63.9	68.6	73.3	77.5	71.1	60.9
September	75.0	88.3	80.5	78.8	78.2	70.7	72.6	80.9	83.7	75.9	67.6
October	80.1	89.4	87.4	82.2	83.4	76.2	78.4	86.8	90.8	82.2	73.6
November	79.0	88.8	87.7	82.6	83.0	74.7	78.5	84.1	91.8	81.7	71.1
December	80.2	89.6	89.0	85.1	84.3	75.5	78.9	85.7	93.4	82.0	72.1
1996 Average	72.2	83.5	80.8	75.7	76.2	67.5	71.8	77.4	83.7	75.0	64.4

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Geographic Area Month	Low-Sulfur Diesel Fuel						High-Sulfur Diesel Fuel				
	Sales to End Users					Sales for Resale	Sales to End Users				Sales for Resale
	Commercial/ Institutional Consumers	Industrial Consumers	Through Retail Outlets ^a	Other End Users ^b	Average		Commercial/ Institutional Consumers	Industrial Consumers	Other End Users ^b	Average	
Subdistrict IC											
January	59.9	62.4	68.1	64.4	64.3	56.3	62.6	66.2	67.3	66.4	55.8
February	62.4	67.2	69.1	66.9	66.3	59.7	63.1	67.5	68.9	67.4	58.3
March	65.6	70.9	73.5	68.9	69.9	62.8	64.8	70.4	73.2	70.0	60.6
April	71.2	76.1	79.2	73.9	75.5	67.7	69.5	74.6	79.4	75.1	63.2
May	66.0	70.7	75.2	69.7	70.9	62.3	67.6	69.9	74.0	70.7	58.6
June	59.8	65.8	69.6	64.4	65.4	55.5	61.0	65.2	68.1	65.2	53.9
July	62.5	67.5	70.4	65.8	67.0	59.0	61.7	67.4	70.0	66.5	57.2
August	66.4	71.2	72.0	69.4	69.8	63.6	65.4	71.8	73.7	70.3	61.8
September	72.9	76.9	78.1	74.1	75.8	70.2	72.3	78.1	80.2	76.6	68.7
October	77.8	80.4	83.7	78.7	80.8	75.0	76.4	80.6	85.0	80.7	74.2
November	77.0	80.0	84.3	77.8	80.7	73.4	75.5	81.2	84.1	80.5	71.3
December	76.4	80.8	83.9	77.5	80.3	72.4	77.0	83.2	82.3	80.8	71.7
1996 Average	68.3	72.2	75.7	70.8	72.3	64.9	68.4	72.8	75.5	72.5	62.6
PAD District II											
January	60.0	65.6	67.8	71.0	65.3	55.7	57.6	69.1	71.5	63.9	56.0
February	62.5	68.0	69.0	73.7	67.2	59.3	59.1	71.8	73.7	65.6	59.1
March	67.8	73.2	74.1	78.3	72.3	64.4	63.5	75.9	77.8	70.2	64.0
April	74.4	79.5	81.5	85.8	79.7	71.4	71.0	83.2	84.7	78.1	70.7
May	71.6	77.7	79.2	84.3	77.3	67.7	69.1	81.1	83.5	76.3	67.2
June	62.8	69.4	71.3	78.1	69.6	59.0	62.2	72.0	76.8	69.2	59.2
July	64.4	70.7	70.9	77.8	69.8	61.4	62.5	74.0	77.5	69.8	61.5
August	69.8	74.5	74.4	81.6	73.9	66.8	67.0	77.6	80.1	73.1	66.4
September	75.3	80.1	80.5	87.1	79.8	72.7	72.9	82.8	86.0	79.2	72.5
October	79.6	84.6	85.4	92.2	84.8	76.5	77.1	87.3	90.8	84.3	76.4
November	79.5	85.0	86.4	92.2	84.7	75.9	78.9	88.4	92.3	84.9	75.9
December	75.7	81.7	84.8	88.9	81.8	71.2	74.7	84.0	89.6	80.7	71.4
1996 Average	70.5	76.0	77.2	83.5	75.8	67.3	68.3	79.3	83.0	75.2	67.0
PAD District III											
January	58.7	63.3	67.0	63.5	63.7	55.6	55.4	61.1	64.5	58.6	52.5
February	61.1	65.4	68.4	66.5	65.5	57.6	57.1	62.8	64.4	60.2	54.4
March	65.4	70.5	72.8	71.0	70.1	61.5	60.4	66.1	68.9	63.8	56.7
April	71.0	75.7	78.6	75.3	75.6	66.9	65.5	70.8	72.9	68.8	60.4
May	66.6	71.8	76.1	75.5	72.8	62.7	62.7	67.4	70.3	65.9	57.2
June	60.3	65.0	70.8	67.1	66.7	55.8	55.8	63.2	66.4	60.7	53.2
July	62.0	66.9	70.4	68.5	67.2	58.0	58.3	64.5	68.6	62.8	55.1
August	66.5	70.8	72.9	71.9	70.6	62.7	61.1	68.3	NA	65.5	59.8
September	72.4	77.0	78.3	78.5	76.4	68.3	67.9	75.1	77.7	72.7	66.8
October	77.0	81.2	83.5	81.6	81.2	72.8	71.9	80.7	81.2	76.7	71.0
November	75.0	80.0	83.8	81.6	80.4	71.8	71.6	78.5	79.7	75.4	69.0
December	74.2	78.5	83.2	80.0	79.7	70.3	71.7	79.0	78.4	75.0	68.3
1996 Average	67.4	72.1	75.5	73.1	72.5	63.9	62.9	69.9	71.9	67.0	60.3
PAD District IV											
January	66.3	72.9	75.7	79.8	73.5	61.7	60.2	77.6	76.5	65.3	62.2
February	67.5	73.7	75.7	79.1	73.8	62.1	59.8	76.4	77.3	65.4	63.0
March	69.2	75.4	78.5	81.4	76.1	67.0	64.2	76.9	81.6	69.8	65.9
April	81.7	86.9	88.2	91.9	87.1	79.3	75.2	89.5	90.5	80.3	79.4
May	86.1	90.7	91.6	95.4	90.7	82.7	81.0	96.4	96.7	86.0	87.9
June	75.7	80.5	84.1	88.2	82.3	72.2	72.4	85.6	87.9	77.8	74.8
July	72.0	77.6	79.9	83.8	78.6	68.1	67.0	82.4	83.2	73.4	68.2
August	77.2	82.2	82.6	86.6	82.2	72.6	70.2	85.4	88.6	76.2	74.0
September	82.3	87.7	88.6	92.0	87.7	80.7	77.5	89.9	92.7	82.9	82.1
October	85.4	90.2	92.6	95.1	91.1	84.3	80.6	91.6	94.9	85.2	82.7
November	84.1	89.7	93.1	94.0	90.6	82.8	78.8	91.8	93.6	83.7	78.6
December	81.6	86.7	90.9	91.9	88.2	77.5	75.1	87.7	94.2	80.2	73.9
1996 Average	77.5	83.2	85.5	88.5	83.8	74.6	72.5	86.5	88.8	77.9	74.2

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	Commercial/ Institutional Consumers	Industrial Consumers	Through Retail Outlets ^a	Other End Users ^b	Average		Commercial/ Institutional Consumers	Industrial Consumers	Other End Users ^b	Average	
PAD District V											
January	70.4	72.5	78.2	75.2	73.8	61.6	63.4	71.4	69.3	67.2	57.2
February	67.5	70.6	76.8	72.6	71.6	57.9	64.9	68.3	70.3	67.6	56.2
March	71.8	75.0	78.5	76.7	75.1	62.1	66.0	71.2	70.4	68.7	58.7
April	88.2	90.0	92.5	94.2	90.7	81.1	78.4	83.5	83.5	81.2	71.0
May	93.6	98.8	100.0	99.4	97.0	84.0	83.9	91.5	85.9	86.4	74.7
June	84.2	88.8	92.1	91.1	88.2	74.2	75.5	82.2	88.9	79.9	68.6
July	78.9	80.8	84.9	83.5	81.7	67.3	71.6	76.1	81.4	74.8	61.7
August	81.2	83.1	86.2	85.9	83.7	71.9	74.7	78.1	78.4	76.5	65.4
September	87.7	92.2	93.1	93.5	90.9	79.7	84.8	87.6	84.9	85.7	78.4
October	88.6	92.9	93.9	94.0	91.6	80.3	78.4	86.5	85.7	82.4	77.2
November	83.4	87.0	91.3	90.2	87.4	75.5	75.2	82.7	85.0	79.6	74.0
December	81.3	85.9	88.1	86.9	84.8	73.4	73.5	80.7	86.5	79.1	71.7
1996 Average	81.9	85.5	88.2	87.6	85.2	72.6	74.2	80.3	81.2	77.5	67.4

NA = Not available.

W = Withheld to avoid disclosure of individual company data.

^a Includes low-sulfur diesel fuel only with the exception of Alaska, which currently is exempt from the Clean Air Act's diesel fuel sulfur content requirement.

^b All end-user sales not included in the other end-user categories shown, e.g., sales to agricultural customers or utilities.

Notes: Some State data are not sufficient for publication individually, but are used in calculating the PAD District average.

Sources: Energy Information Administration Forms EIA-782A, "Refiners/Gas Plant Operators' Monthly Petroleum Product Sales Report," and EIA-782B, "Resellers/Retailers' Monthly Petroleum Product Sales Report."